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Dear Friends,

Too often, politicians go to Sacramento and forget the concerns and needs of their communities. Too often, politicians want to do all the talking, instead of the listening.

The fact is, the folks in Sacramento need to listen more. A lot more.

In the past year, local police officers, senior citizens, and business owners created several ideas that led to important new laws. Their ideas are helping the Legislature find solutions to the many challenges facing California.

This is your opportunity to get involved in helping your community.

You have been chosen to fill out the enclosed survey and express how you feel about the issues facing the state and which issues you believe need attention. Your thoughts on the future of the Central Valley are very important.

Please take a minute to complete and return the official 2004 survey on the next page. Feel free to call the district office at (209) 576-6425 if you have any questions.

It is an honor to represent you in the State Assembly.

## What Do You Think?

Your thoughts about these important issues will help develop solutions to the challenges facing the Central Valley. Please take a moment to complete this survey, and return it as soon as possible.

Respondent 1: Use blue boxes to record your answers. Please print clearly.			
Name			
Street Address			
City State Zip			
Phone E-mail			
<b>Respondent 2</b> : Use white boxes to record your answers. Please print clearly.			
Name			
Street Address			
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Regarding the issue of taxes, for which of the following reasons would you support raising them?  To close the budget deficit To reduce class sizes To provide affordable health care To reduce traffic congestion To increase public safety To clean up the environment I don't support raising any taxes			
<ul> <li>legal Immigration (please check all that apply)</li> <li>Regarding the issue of illegal immigration, which of the following statements do you agree with?</li> <li>Not a problem anymore, the current policy is fine</li> <li>Ban all benefits to illegal immigrants</li> <li>Close the borders and deport all illegal immigrants</li> <li>Illegal immigrants should not be able to receive driver's licenses</li> </ul>			

## **Gun Control** (please check all that apply)

	Regarding the issue of gun control, which of the following statements do you agree with?		
	<ul> <li>Only law enforcement officials should have guns</li> <li>Law-abiding citizens should have the right to own any gun</li> <li>There is no reason citizens should own an assault-type weapon</li> <li>Background checks should be mandatory for all gun purchases</li> <li>To purchase any gun, you must register it with the government</li> <li>Require safety courses</li> </ul>		
Abortion (please check all that apply)			
	. Regarding the issue of abortion, which of the follo would you support?	wing statements	
	<ul> <li>Tax dollars should pay for abortions</li> <li>Measures that require parental consent for children under the age of 18</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Late term abortions should be severely restricted</li> <li>It is the woman's right to choose</li> <li>Abortion should be illegal</li> </ul>		
Gay Rights (please check all that apply)			
	5. Regarding the issue of gay rights, which of the following statements would you support?		
	<ul> <li>Permit same sex marraiges</li> <li>Allow adoption of children</li> <li>Mandatory tolerance education in public schools</li> <li>Domestic Partner benefit programs</li> <li>No special rights</li> </ul>		
Air Quality (please check all that apply)			
6. Regarding the issue of air quality, which of the following statements do you agree with?			
<ul> <li>New homes should be built with clean burning fireplaces</li> <li>Require existing homeowners to install clean burning firepalces</li> <li>Make Hwy 99 a toll road: charging user fees to clean the air</li> <li>Put stricter regulations on cars, trucks, and trains</li> <li>Properly manage the forest to prevent pollution-creating fires</li> <li>The air is not that bad</li> </ul>			
Plea	lease Answer		
Are	re you a homeowner?	☐ Yes ☐ No	
Do	o you have children under 18?	☐ Yes ☐ No	
Are	re you or anyone in your household serving in the Armed Ford		

**To return survey**: Fill in your return address and then refold mailer with return address on outside. Affix a First Class stamp before mailing.